BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2006-9-W/S- ORDER NO. 2006-406

JULY 10, 2006

	Amendments to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-)	ORDER
	500 (1976 & Supp. 2004) – Wastewater)	ALLOWING
	Utilities and 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-700)	COMMENT
	(1976 & Supp. 2004) – Water Utilities)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the May 12, 2006 written proposals of the Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS) for changes to 26 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-541 and 103-743 (Supp. 2005).

These proposals were made after our May 4, 2006 Administrative Procedures Act hearing to consider a number of revisions to our water and sewer regulations. Commission Regulations 103-541 and 103-743 were discussed extensively at that hearing. However, because the May 12, 2006 ORS proposals contain changes to those two regulations that were not discussed at the May 4, 2006 hearing, we believe that the public should have the opportunity to comment on the new proposed changes before we consider general promulgation of all of the proposed water and sewer regulation revisions.

Accordingly, members of the public shall have two weeks (14 days) from the date of this Order to respond to and/or file comments on the May 12, 2006 ORS written proposals for changes to Commission Regulations 103-541 and 103-743. We will withhold consideration and/or promulgation of these and other proposed changes to the

water and sewer regulations until some time after such responses and/or comments, if any, are received.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Randy Mitchell, Chairman

ATTEST:

G. O'Neal Hamilton, Vice-Chairman

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